

Tuesday, 7 December 2021

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CABINET

You are summoned to a meeting of the Cabinet which will be held in the Council Chamber, Woodgreen, Witney, OX28 INB on Wednesday, 15 December 2021 at 2.00 pm.

Giles Hughes Chief Executive

To: Members of the Cabinet

Councillors: Michele Mead (Leader), David Harvey (Deputy Leader), Suzi Coul, Councillor Merilyn Davies, Jane Doughty, Jeff Haine, and Norman MacRae MBE

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AGENDA

1. Notice of Decisions (Pages 5 - 12)

To receive notice of the decisions taken at the meeting held on 10 November 2021.

2. Apologies for Absence

3. Declarations of Interest

To receive any declarations from Members of the Committee on any items to be considered at the meeting

4. Participation of the Public

To receive any submissions from members of the public, in accordance with the Council's Rules of Procedure.

5. Receipt of Announcements

Purpose:

To receive any announcements from the Leader of the Council or Members of the Cabinet.

6. Finance Performance Report 2021-22 Quarter Two (Pages 13 - 26)

Purpose

This report provides details of the Council's financial performance at the end of 2021-22 Quarter Two (Q2).

Recommendation

That the 2021/22 Q2 finance performance be noted.

7. Approval of Extension to Agreement for Support Services with Publica (Pages 27 - 44) Purpose

For Cabinet to consider an extension of the Publica service agreement for Support Services.

Recommendation

That the Support Services Agreement with Publica Group (Support) Limited be extended for a further four year term until 31 October 2026.

8. Infrastructure Funding Statement (Pages 45 - 64)

Purpose

To consider and approve the West Oxfordshire Infrastructure Funding Statement (IFS) for 2020/21.

Recommendation

That the Infrastructure Funding Statement (IFS) attached at Annex A to the report be approved and published on the Council's website by 31 December 2021 in accordance with legislative requirements.

9. Annual Monitoring Report (Pages 65 - 108)

Purpose

To consider the Council's Local Plan Annual Monitoring Report for 2020-2021.

Recommendation

That the content of the Local Plan Annual Monitoring Report be noted.

10. Performance Monitoring Report Q2 - 2021/22 (Pages 109 - 142)

Purpose

This report provides details of the Council's operational performance at the end of 2021-22 Quarter Two (Q2).

Recommendation

That the 2021/22 Q2 service performance be noted.

11. Exclusion of Public and Press

In view of the likely disclosure of exempt information, as defined in paragraphs 1 and 2 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting for the remaining item of business.

12. Consideration to write off debt (Pages 143 - 148)

<u>Purpose</u>

To seek approval for the writing off of Council Tax debts in excess of £5,000.

Recommendation

That Cabinet approve the write off as detailed within the report.